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Filed: February 1, 2002 Docket: 10873.0403USRE
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- Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
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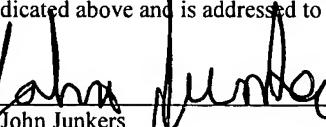
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Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, enclosed please find the originally signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and Consent of Assignee. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the Missing Parts completion fee.

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a photocopy of the filing receipt from the United States Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application showing requested corrections.

The name of one of the inventors is incorrect.

Please replace "Naoki Ishimaru" with --Naoaki Ishimaru--.

Correction of the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and issuance of a corrected filing receipt are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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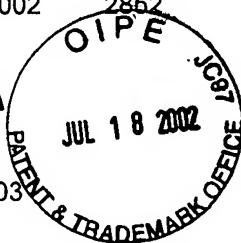


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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

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Confirmation of Ownership Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) and
Consent of Assignee Under 37 CFR 1.172

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. and Matsushita Graphic Communication Systems, Inc., through the undersigned who are duly authorized to execute documents on their behalf, confirm that they are the owners of the above reissue application by virtue of Assignment of the original patent, recorded at Reel 010139, Frame 0355.

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. Ltd., and Matsushita Graphic Communication Systems, Inc., hereby consent to the reissue application identified above.

Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- Consent of assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that a reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.

Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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